

On Tuesday, September 22, 2009, at 2:00 p.m., in room 2247 of the Rayburn House Office Building, the Subcommittee on Federal Workforce, Postal Service and the District of Columbia will hold an oversight hearing entitled “The Local Role of the United States Parole Commission (USPC): Increasing Public Safety, Reducing Recidivism, and Using Alternatives to Re-incarceration in the District of Columbia.”

The Subcommittee, under the jurisdiction of the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, retains oversight responsibility and authority with regards to the USPC’s jurisdiction over District of Columbia Criminal Code Offenders. To this end, the upcoming hearing will examine the following issues: (1) the pending agenda of the USPC in light of its new Chairman; (2) increasing public safety in the District of Columbia; (3) reducing recidivism in the District of Columbia; and (4) alternatives to re-incarceration in the District of Columbia.

If you have any questions, please contact Aisha Elkheshin of the Subcommittee at 5-5147.

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Panel 1:

Isaac Fulwood, Jr.
Chair, U.S. Parole Commission (USPC)

Adrienne Poteat
Acting Director, Court Services and Offender Supervision Agency (CSOSA)

Laura Hankins
Special Counsel, D.C. Office of the Public Defender

Jesse Janetta
The Urban Institute

Martin F. Horn
Distinguished Lecturer, John Jay College of Criminal Justice

Cornell Jones
Chairman, Returning Citizens United

Panel II:

Samuel Green
D.C. Code Offender under USPC/CSOSA Jurisdiction

James Parker
D.C. Code Offender under USPC/CSOSA Jurisdiction